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The Morning Star

OUTLINES.

Mrs. Florence Maybrick will be released before August 1st. —— Gen. Kuroki is reported advancing all along the line. —— It is rumored that a naval engagement has occurred at Port Arthur, resulting in a Russian victory. —— With finer weather and roads drying up in Manchuria, heavy fighting with perhaps a general engagement is expected; plans of the Japanese are still puzzling the Russians. —— A division of the Baltic fleet will sail from Cronstadt July 28, with sealed orders. —— Tremendous flood at Kansas City. —— Will Boone, murderer, and fugitive from justice, committed suicide in Buncombe county. —— Geo. W. Vanderbilt's private car damaged by fire near Biltmore. —— Terrific storm at Raleigh; two negro boys killed by lightning. —— During a storm near Camden, S. C., one negro was killed by lightning and two others were injured. —— At the night session of the Democratic national convention the platform was adopted without debate; Mr. Littleton, of New York, took the floor to nominate Judge Parker and at the conclusion of his speech a great demonstration ensued. —— New York markets: Money on call easy at 2¾ per cent.; cotton steady at 11.25c; flour firm with a light business; wheat—spot strong; No. 2 nominal; corn—No. 2 red 54½c; rosin firm; strained common to good $3; spirits turpentine firm.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., July 8.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 80 degrees. 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 77 degrees; minimum, 76 degrees; mean, 76 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .43; rainfall since first of the month to date, .53 inch.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. 3 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

There have been light scattered rains in Texas and Georgia, and showers in the other States of the belt. The temperature changes are slight.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—For North Carolina: Showers Saturday and Sunday; light variable winds.

Port Almanac—July 9.

Sun Rises	4.50 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.19 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 33 M.
High Water at Southport	4.50 P. M.
High Water Wilmington	7.20 P. M.

The shouting "ovation" to Bryan at St. Louis was the dying gasp of the opposition to Parker.

The Northerners ought to quit carrying deadly weapons. In New York on Tuesday 270 persons were before the courts for carrying and shooting revolvers on the 4th.

We realize now that the campaign is on for good. Our Republican contemporaries are publishing lots of prosperity statistics without hinting that they are for political effect. Some Democratic papers will probably republish them in seriousness.

Premier Laurier advises Canada to prepare to whip the United States. We don't know what the States are going to do to get a licking about unless the Canadians think they are going to elect Roosevelt.

"Is horse-racing worth the cost?" asks the New York *Journal of Commerce*. The fellow that losses his bet on a horse has to take his chances with the fellow that goes up against crack-a-loo or craps. It's owing to whom the cost falls on.

The beef trust has reduced prices. Its Republican friends must have told it that its squeeze at this time would cut the earth from under Roosevelt. The trust has been persuaded to "postpone" its increased prices "till after the election."

A New York man sued another and got $50,000 for the alienation of his wife's affections. That looks pretty high for a wife that could be toted off from home, and it will no doubt encourage the New Yorker to get him another wife with which to make a raid on some other Lothario.

If we have said anything against Col. Bryan that we are sorry for we are glad of it. Not that we love Bryan less, but that we love the Democratic party more when it makes itself worthy of carrying the election on the 8th of November. We are stuck on putting Roosevelt out of business, and we don't mind committing assault and battery on folks who stand pat on foolishness.

We were startled on Wednesday by seeing this headline in the Macon, Ga., *Telegraph*: "Democrats and Populists Getting Together in Coffee." We had heard of the Democrats' getting into the soup, but when we read the headlines that they had got in the mixup with Populists in our favorite beverage we sat up straight. We were relieved, however, when a further reading of the *Telegraph* item brought us to the realization that it was referring to Coffee county, Ga.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Commencing Sunday, July 10th, and until further notice, St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school will meet at 9:45 A. M.

— Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., expects to preach at Pearsall's school house, East Wilmington, to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

— By deed filed for record yesterday C. D. Weeks and wife transferred to I. J. Sternberger, for $1,365, property on north side of Nun, 87 feet east of Sixth street, 52x54 feet in size.

— On account of the lack of a quorum there was no meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 254, U. C. V., last night. Should it become necessary, Commander Woodward will call a meeting at any time during the month.

— For the week ended yesterday cotton receipts were only 51 bales; same week last season, 133 bales. Naval store receipts were: Spirits, 555; rosin, 2,097; tar, 313; crude, 968. Same week last year: Spirits, 836; rosin, 3,059; tar, 343; crude, 970.

— In the juvenile baseball league the Market Street Giant champions will play the Seventh Street Rattlers at Seventeenth and Market streets this afternoon and the Railroad Juniors will meet the Financiers at Seaside Park. Public invited. No admission.

— Pastor Fred. D. Hale, who has been absent from the city the past few days assisting Rev. J. A. Smith in a missionary meeting at Mills' chapel Baptist church, will return this evening and occupy his pulpit to morrow at the usual hours.

— Rev. F. W. E. Peschau in a letter to the STAR desires to thank all his friends in behalf of himself and good wife for their kind expressions of sympathy upon their recent misfortune in being almost burned to death. Rev. Mr. Peschau writes that he and Mrs. Peschau are recovering rapidly and will soon be out again. They formerly resided here and have a host of friends. They are now at Miamisburg, Ohio.

CONFUSION OVER REGISTRATION.

Different Constructions Placed on Election Law—Registrars Must Eat on Spot.

There was little doing about the registration places for the dispensary election yesterday, but there was lots of confusion. The list of qualified electors is being transcribed from the books in the last municipal election of April, 1903, and no attention is paid to the permanent roll of qualified voters. That brought on more talk yesterday when several so registered called at the registration booths and inquired if their names were being transcribed in the revision required by law. The reply of the registrar in each instance was in the negative, whereupon several electors became indignant.

Then again there was more talk when several applied at the registration places and found the registrars had gone to dinner and closed the books for that hour. The question reached the acute stage in the afternoon and word was passed around that for the remaining six days registrars must take their noon-day victuals at the polling places. Then the registrars got hot but finally acquiesced in the interest of harmony.

Finally, the question of whether voters will be allowed to register today week was sprung. It had been generally understood that the last Saturday was challenge day. Some argued that it was for both registration and challenges, while others were equally confident that the law said expressly that the day was for challenges only. And so the matter stood and still stands.

Bad Negro Caught Bullet.

Andrew Russ, a negro stevedore, started to make a "rough house" of Chapman's bar at Second and Brunswick streets yesterday morning and got a bullet in the arm, "good and hard," for his pains. The negro entered the store and began cursing one of the Messrs. Chapman, an elderly man. The most vile and abusive language was used toward Mr. Chapman, who drew his pistol and fired in the air to frighten the negro. Emboldened by drink, the negro threw his hands behind him as if also to draw a pistol, but Mr. Chapman fired first. The wound is not serious. Mr. Chapman came down town, consulted his attorneys, Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy, and was recognized for his appearance in Justice Fowler's court at 10 A. M. today.

Seashore Hotel Arrivals.

Among the recent arrivals at the Seashore Hotel are Mrs. J. G. Broadnax, Jr., and two children, Jno. A. Barringer and wife and Miss Fannie S. Barringer, of Greensboro; Mrs. Chas. C. Hook and child, of Charlotte; E. B. Wright, wife and children, of Boardman; T. H. Newkirk and wife, of Marion, S. C.; Miss Georgia Lowe and Mrs. Wallace, of Mt. Holly; Mr. Lowe, of Charlotte.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Platt & Haar—For sale.
Str. Compton—Sunday trip.
W. B. Cooper—Tobacco, special.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Straw grips.
Murchison National Bank—Business solicited.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Wanted—Colored help.
At Wrightsville—Stove wood.
Endowment Bank, K. of P.—Notice

A dip in the ocean these hot afternoons is a pleasure beyond compare—car every half hour in the afternoon.

OBSERVE LABOR DAY.

Standing Committee Already at Work Upon Arrangements for Big Celebration.

At WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH.

Meeting Last Night for Preliminary Business—Hon. R. B. Glenn and State Superintendent Joyner Invited. Something of the Plans.

Already the union clans of the city are preparing for another elaborate celebration of Labor Day on the first Monday in September. The arrangements are in the hands of the Labor Day Celebration Committee, which was continued from last year and which embraces some very enthusiastic workers in the labor cause. The final preliminary meeting of the committee was held last night in Union Hall, on the fourth floor of the Atlantic National Bank building, and an organization was effected by the election of officers, which are given with a full list of members as follows:

Chairman—D. P. McLean.
Secretary—J. Edgar Lewis.
Treasurer—J. Frank Stanland.
Members—J. G. Smith, F. V. Huggins, D. P. McLean and G. F. Quinn, Brotherhood of Railway Carmen; D. Rountree, D. W. Mason, J. O. Powers and W. C. Wallace, Carpenters' and Joiners' Union; E. C. Yarborough, J. L. Sutton and A. H. Weeden, Electrical Wire Workers' Union; J. Frank Stanland and J. Edgar Lewis, Typographical Union.

After considering offers, the committee decided to hold the celebration again this year on Wrightsville Beach. The Consolidated railway people offered very liberal inducements and will give a round trip rate of 25c. to all on the cars upon that occasion. Bands of music will also be furnished and the committee will be co-operated with in every way to make a success of the celebration.

Hon. Robert B. Glenn, Democratic nominee for Governor, and Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, have been invited to deliver addresses upon the occasion of the celebration, and Mr. G. F. Quinn has been appointed to introduce the distinguished visitors, who will be accorded a royal welcome upon their arrival in Wilmington and will be given an honorary escort to the beach. In addition to the speaking, there will be a programme of athletic events. General Secretary Charles Dushan of the Y. M. C. A. has again been invited to take charge of that department.

The committee hopes, if anything, to exceed the record of last year, when 6,000 people attended the celebration. Labor organizations of adjoining towns and cities will be invited and urged to come in large numbers. Merchants in the city will be asked to close their places of business and allow their employes an opportunity of joining in the festivities.

The following committee has been named to solicit donations from the business men of the city for the purpose of defraying a part of the expense incident to the celebration, viz: Messrs. G. F. Quinn, J. G. Smith, A. H. Weeden, E. C. Yarborough, J. O. Powers, D. Rountree, J. Frank Stanland and J. Edgar Lewis. The card system will be used as before and liberal responses are expected. The committee has begun its work early and hopes to make an abundant success of the undertaking.

WHITE MAN TOOK LEG BAIL.

How Elijah Williams Outwitted Convict Superintendent Yesterday Afternoon.

Elijah Williams, a young white man from the extreme southern part of the city, who was committed to jail under sentence of 30 days on the roads this week by Justice Bornemann in default of a fine for engaging in an affray at Carolina Beach on July 4th, swore he would never go to the "rock pile" when Superintendent Shearin called for him yesterday afternoon, and a few minutes later he suited his action to his words by taking leg bail, leading Mr. Shearin a lively chase for a couple of blocks.

Williams had been in jail since Tuesday and was chafing under the confinement. He was in an ugly mood when Superintendent Shearin called for him at the jail about 5 o'clock. Williams was not handcuffed and was bidden to take a seat in the "carry-all" in waiting for the trip to Castle Haynes. The young fellow had hardly cleared the enclosed steps leading from the jail to the street, when he made a dash for liberty. Mr. Shearin shouted to the fugitive to halt or he would shoot, but Williams sped on, paying no heed to the warning. Mr. Shearin fearing to carry out his threat to fire lest some by-standers be shot. Williams ran down Princess to Third street, down Third to Market and towards the river, losing himself in the usual afternoon crowds on Market street.

Small Excursion Yesterday.

The excursion over the Southern and Atlantic Coast Line from Wilkesboro, via Fayetteville, arrived at 6:50 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but it brought less than 150 people, who will go for a trip on the steamer "Wilmington" to-day, returning to their homes to-night. A report from the railroad people before the arrival of the train said there were 560 people on the train, but that number was considerably diminished by actual count when the party reached here.

LYCEUM COURSE SECURED.

Series of Attractions Extraordinary Booked by Messrs. Cowan Bros. for Wilmington and Newbern Theatres.

The new Academy of Music, so to speak, of this city will offer a Lyceum or Star Course next season of superior merit and one that is bound to prove popular with all. The contract for such a course was closed yesterday by Messrs. Cowan Bros., managers of the local theatre, with Mr. S. J. McCracken, the official representative, of the Rice Lyceum Bureau, of which ex-Gov. Bob Taylor is president. Messrs. Cowan Bros. bought the course outright and for some of the attractidns gave big prices. They also purchased a course for Newbern to be conducted at their new playhouse in that city, the New Masonic Theatre.

Eight numbers will be included in the course here and in Newbern and each will be of superior quality and something new to lyceum lovers of the two cities. In fact, it is said that the courses will be the equal of any ever given in the South. The one here will be inaugurated early in October by the official court orchestra of Hungary, which will arrive in this country in September and present a few concerts in the South. This attraction alone will be more than worth the price—$2—of a season ticket, as it will not be a concert company but a full fledged orchestra, one of the best ever in this country and one that will render a programme similar to the one given here by Duss. The orchestra's concerts at the few places not in the special lyceum course in the South will not be less than $3 per ticket for the very cheapest.

A canvass for the subscribers to the course will commence shortly and only a limited number will be taken. After the list is made up the admission to each entertainment will be $1 and in all probability $3 to hear the Hungarian Court Orchestra.

AT THE SEASHORE HOTEL.

Rapidly Filling Up With Guests—Week-End Dance To-night Will be Brilliant.

A number of among the most prominent young society people of this and adjoining States are now guests at the Seashore Hotel, and the week-end dance there to-night promises to be the most brilliant of the season. The usual check system for home people will be continued and there will be no crowding to discomfort. The orchestra has been strengthened by the arrival of a clarinet player and a trap drummer, so that the music will be all that can be desired.

Among yesterday's arrivals at the hotel were: E. W. Mumford and wife, Dr. J. F. Robertson, J. F. Robertson, Jr., Miss Robertson, Mrs. C. Tallaferro, Mr. T. Tallaferro, Charlotte; Mrs. B. J. Williamson and Master Wilson Williamson, Graham, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Halton, Miss Alma McDonald, Miss Q. McDonald, Miss Rosa Murchison, Greensboro; M. Riddle, Jr., Savannah, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bains and wife, Miss Rosa Bains, Master William Bains, Birmingham, Ala.; M. M. Pendleton, Warrenton; Mrs. N. A. Sinclair, Fayetteville; G. W. Montcastle, Miss Camille Hunt, Miss Margaret Hunt, Lexington.

REGISTRATION FOR DISPENSARY.

Some Facts of Which Wilmington Voters Should Have Knowledge.

It has been definitely determined that all voters who have heretofore registered under what is known as the "grandfather clause," or permanent registration feature, must register again in order to vote in the dispensary election. All those known as "first voters"—that is, all who will have reached the age of 21 years by July 27th—must have their names placed on the books on or before Friday, July 15th.

All who have changed their places of residence from one ward to another since the last city election must register anew in the ward in which they now reside.

Hours of registration, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., and on Saturday, until 9 P. M. The books will be closed for registration Friday night, July 15th, at 9 P. M. On Saturday, July 16th, the books will be open for challenges, but not for registration.

Rev. Mr Neville's Sermon.

Since the paid advertisement of Rev. Mr. Neville's sermon in Wednesday's STAR has been made the subject of editorial attack in the afternoon paper, which proclaims it, without qualification, at least ten years old, by way of keeping the facts straight as we go along and as a matter of justice to the advertiser, there can be no harm in the off-hand observation that were the sermon of any considerable antiquity, as alleged, the pastor would hardly have quoted statistics from the National Temperance Society as late as for the five years ending in 1898.

Turpentine Distillery Burned.

The turpentine still of Mr. John W. King, near Excelsior, N. C., was burned Wednesday with a small amount of rosin which could not be rolled from the shed in time. The fire was caused by an overcharge of rosemary turpentine. The loss falls very heavily on Mr. King at this season of the year. Once before he lost his dwelling by fire and once before his distillery was burned.

Take the children to the Casino—25 cents round trip on trolley line for children under twelve years.—No charge for children under 5 years.

BOYS COMING HOME.

Brigade Encampment at Southport Breaks This Afternoon for Home Coming.

OUTING VERY SUCCESSFUL.

Glimpses of Camp Life from Pen of One of the Soldiers—Many Visitors During Past Week and a Great, Good Time for the Boys.

The seventh annual encampment of the First Battalion, Boys' Brigade of America, will come to a close at Southport this afternoon after ten days of unalloyed pleasure and excellent training for the young soldiers. The encampment this year is said to be the most successful ever held and the boys will return to the city on the steamer "Wilmington" this evening in fine trim for resuming work at their respective vocations on Monday morning. The weather has been fine for the outing and the only source of regret in connection with the encampment is that more of the Brigade members could not avail themselves of its advantages. However, the attendance was larger than usual and employers are rapidly taking to the opinion that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," when application of the old proverb is made to the young men employed by them. For a few glimpses of camp life with the boys at Southport the following correspondence from camp headquarters is commended to the reader:

CAMP SPRUNT, Southport, N. C., July 8.—In case the absence of our names from the police court record has raised a question as to our whereabouts I am here to tell you that the Boys' Brigade is in camp at Southport, the "City of Sighs and Tears" (sighs for those who are not here—tears for those who are). If our friends think that we have forgotten them because we have not sent up a daily correspondence, let them remember that this year the "Reporter" has all he can attend to in getting three meals a day for this crowd of ever-hungry boys. We should have written before, we admit, even if it were only to tell about our visitors.

Mr. Charles Dushan has been down with us the whole time, and he has proven a welcome addition to the camp. We put him in the awkward squad at first, but he soon graduated from that, and now drills regularly in ranks. If we may take his word for it his vacation is being both pleasant and profitable.

Dr. Jas. D. Nutt is another. He is "getting all that's coming to him" as every one who knows him must think. "Doc." is a "good egg." He had a hartshorn spray in his tent the first night for any would-be hazers but we didn't bother him then. Later, one of the boys fixed up Doc's bed with horse hair and salt and when he had slept on it for some time the boy had nerve enough to get a broom and help clean the stuff out.

Mr. A. M. Scales and his little son, Alfred, of Greensboro are with us also. Mr. Scales was with us last year, hence this time his welcome was assured.

Major W. F. Robertson spent Thursday with us. The Brigade is *always* glad to see Mr. Robertson.

Rev. J. S. Crowley was down for a while, assisting Mr. Dushan as chaplain. He must be all right—he doesn't preach long.

Last and least are the mascots, Walker Taylor, Jr., and Jesse (Tubby) Bryant.

While we are on the subject of people and things, it might not be amiss to speak of a queer combination that we have seen down here, that is, German cologne (Hoyt's) and "Pepper."

The married men are not having anything of an easy time this year. Every time "Biddie," Russ or Price gets in a crowd on the garrison, some girl is sure to say, "O, go on, boy—you are married!" or else some more disquieting information greets their ears, such as, "Look out man—I'll tell your wife on you!" Truly, "the way of the transgressor is hard."

Johnny Mac. asked us not to say anything about "Dry Pond" this year, so we will not. Nor will we say anything about "Poesch" and his "June Turkey," for Poesch has promised to run us out of camp if we do.

While this article is in process of inscription a noise like unto the shouting of a great multitude, or the rushing of many waters greeteth our ears. It is a game of ball between the "Long and Leans" and the "Short and Stouts." Col. Taylor is captain of both teams. Yesterday we played a double-header—a right hand game in the morning, a left hand one in the afternoon. Colonel was, and is, catcher and batter at-large for his side. The games all have one and the same ending. The umpire, Doc Nutt, is mobbed and dragged from the field.

Yesterday afternoon Rev. Mr. L. W. Curtis invited us over to take a trip to Siam with him. We got no farther than his home, but that was far enough, for he had the trophies gathered on his several missionary journeys arranged around the rooms, and they, together with the lecture, furnished us, indeed, a glimpse of Siam.

Thursday night we attended an address on the Knights of Pythias, delivered by Grand Chancellor W. F. Robertson. Major Robertson and Doctor Nutt are organizing a lodge down here, hence you may know that Major turned loose all of his eloquence on us in order to show to these people what a good thing they were getting. A very interesting address.

Camp Sprunt will be no more after 4 o'clock to morrow afternoon. We came down with the intention of staying over until Monday, but it has been thought best to get the boys back before Monday so that they can take up their work at the beginning of the week.

We wish to thank our employers for giving us our vacation at this time. We feel sure that such an outing as we have had, under such a commander as ours, will enable us to do more and better work than we could otherwise do, and since these results are assured, the 7th annual encampment of the Boys' Brigade has been a success. C. C. L.

The one great virtue of Burnett's Vanilla Extract is purity. It is real vanilla extract and nothing but vanilla extract. Always use Burnett's.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Miss Ruby Wiggs is the guest of Miss Kate McCrary in Rocky Mount.

— Miss Kate Bradfoot, of Fayetteville, arrived last evening en route to the beach.

— Miss Maude Bullock is the guest of Miss Margaret Braswell at Whitaker's, N. C.

— Miss Roberta McKenzie, of Florence, is spending the Summer at Wrightsville Beach.

— Mr. M. Riddle, Jr., of the Atlantic Coast Line at Savannah, Ga., was here yesterday.

— Mr. Arthur Prempert, who tarried here a few days after the meeting of the letter carriers, returned to Winston yesterday.

—Miss Ellen Duffy, of Columbia, S. C., is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Eliza M. Bellamy, Fifth and Market streets.

— Clarkton *Express*: "Mr. H. W. Malloy and little son, Harry, arrived yesterday from Wilmington and are spending a few days with 'Squire McRae's family."

— Mr. Charlie Haar has resumed his former position with Mr. S. W. Sanders at the "Unlucky Corner," having resigned his position with the Armour Packing Co.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thorburn and son, of New York, are guests of friends and relatives in the city. At present they are with Mrs. Thorburn's brother, Mr. F. A. Muse.

— Mr. Raymond S. Motte, of Spartanburg, S. C., is spending a vacation of two or three weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Motte, South Second street, this city.

— Mrs. N. A. Sinclair and children and Mrs. H. R. Hall and Mr. Walter Hall, of Fayetteville, arrived yesterday on the steamer "City of Fayetteville" en route to the beach.

— Mrs. Walker Taylor and children, Mrs. Wm. F. Robertson and children and Miss Addie Meares, of Wilmington, spent yesterday in Southport, the guests of Col. Walker Taylor's Brigade, which is in camp on the garrison there.

THE TRAP SHOOT YESTERDAY.

Rain Seriously Interfered, But Some Very Good Scores Were Made.

Rain seriously interfered with the regular weekly trap shoot of the Wilmington Gun Club yesterday afternoon, the gunners having been several times forced to seek shelter from the downpour. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., led the shooting with a score of 41 out of 50, while John H. Gore, Esq., was second with a score of 40. The record is as follows:

R. H. Bellamy	38
G. W. Penny	32
W. T. Mercer	14
R. F. Warren	34
J. B. Loder	24
R. L. Holmes	26
G. S. Boylan	25
H. McL. Green	34
E. C. Holt	22
R. R. Bellamy	21
J. H. Gore	40
B. G. Empie	41
G. H. Howell	33
Mr. Jackson	30
A. H. Harriss	32
J. W. Murchison	18
W. S. Johnson	28

Interest in trap shooting grows apace and the indications are that a large number of the Wilmington sportsmen will join the State league and participate in the State tournament during August.

WACCAMAW VS. WILMINGTON.

Strong Ball Teams Will Play at Hilton This Afternoon—Council Here.

Weather permitting, there will be a feast for the baseball cranks at Hilton Park this afternoon at 4 o'clock, the strong Lake Waccamaw team, with Council of University fame, on the slab, will line up against the lusty Cape Fear Academy team, which has tasted the bitter of defeat only once or twice this season. The Lake team will be accompanied by a car-load of rooters of the deepest dye and there'll be "something doing" on the bleachers when the umpire calls "play ball." Peschau and Moore will form the battery for the locals. Everybody is invited to see the game.

Not Guilty of Robbery.

The only matter of interest in the police court yesterday was the investigation of a charge of larceny against Henry Taylor and Charles Merrick, both colored, and arrested upon a warrant sworn out by Mr. George W. Millis, who had been employed by a negro stevedore named Halifax to ferret the robbery of his house last Sunday and the theft of $126 in cash from a trunk, which had been broken open by the depredators. The defendants were represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq. The evidence adduced was regarded insufficient and Taylor and Merrick were discharged.

Rain Prevents Crowd.

The rain yesterday afternoon prevented shoppers from taking advantage of the extreme low prices at the C. W. Polvogt store. During the morning hours the store was crowded with customers buying goods. This firm is having their removal sale and special low prices are made in every department to reduce their stock. Prices such as these should attract the attention of the public. Fruit of the Loom 7½, Lonsdale Cambric 10c, Linen Towels 10c, $1.25 Carpet $1.00 per yard, 15c Mattinglillie, and hundreds of other bargains, all of which are displayed. The Polvogt Co. will continue this removal sale during next week, but we advise those who will need Dry Goods, Carpets or Millinery to call early to see them.

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Move On,
Policeman's Frank of their Comrade,
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Straw Telescopes---25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.

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"Perfection" Mosquito Canopies are sold here. They are absolutely the best.

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jy 9 tf 114 Market Street.

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of Wilmington, N. C.
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Surplus	125,000 00
Shareholders' liability	300,000 00
Total	$725,000 00

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Business solicited and every facility guaranteed, consistent with modern and safe methods.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.
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WOMEN HAD A FIGHT.

Met on Streets This Morning, Going and Coming from the Cafe.

A personal altercation between two white women—Kate Jenkins and Grace George—caused some excitement shortly after 2 o'clock this morning on Princess street, near the telephone building. The Jenkins woman's left ear was cut almost in two and she had to be taken to a surgeon to have the wound dressed. Grace George received a blow in the mouth, which she said was inflicted by P. W. Young, who was accompanying the Jenkins woman home from a down-town cafe. She also claims to have been assaulted by the Jenkins woman and said she acted in self defence. The George woman gave cash bond of $25 for her appearance in the Mayor's court today. She swore out warrants against Young and the Jenkins woman, charging them with assault. The origin of the difficulty is unknown.

— Hon. F. A. Daniels, of Goldsboro, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

DIED.

GREEN—In this city at 1:55 A. M., Friday, July 8th, 1904, HENRY GREEN, aged 65 years, two months and two days.

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J. Y. JOYNER.
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H. B. VARNER.
Corporation Commissioner:
S. L. ROGERS.
Commissioner of Agriculture:
S. L. PATTERSON.

THE DOINGS AT ST. LOUIS.

There have been stirring times in the Democratic national convention at St. Louis, but we are sure the Republicans are disappointed that a howling situation has not been developed at any time since the convention assembled last Wednesday. The enemies of Democracy had anticipated and hoped for a mob spirit in the convention, with a washing of dirty linen, explosive outbursts of wrath, eruptions from disgruntled politicians, bandying of epithets, criminations and recriminations, and the hot-tempered hurtling of words like traitor, liar, etc.

The enemies of Democracy were doomed to disappointment, however, for the convention has been a great deliberative body, and while the decorum and order might have been better, there were no scenes of wild disorder. The enthusiastic demonstrations in the convention were to be expected but there was no element of disorder in them. On the contrary, the convention was a great body of earnest Americans. The Democracy had sent delegates there to adopt its policy for the campaign, and so far they have carried out the programme bravely and with determination.

One of the notable incidents in Thursday's proceedings was the speech of the Hon. William J. Bryan who made the report of the minority touching the contest from Illinois. Col. Bryan submitted the minority report as a substitute for the majority report which declared for seating the Hopkins delegates sent up by the Illinois State convention. The minority report of Col. Bryan declared in favor of seating the Harrison contestants, but the convention, by a vote of 647 to 299, rejected Col. Bryan's substitute. This was the first measuring of the strength of the two elements in the convention, and it demonstrated that the anti-Bryan or conservative element was overwhelmingly in the majority. The fifty-four delegates from Illinois, however, did not vote, as a matter of course.

In arising to speak upon his minority report, Col. Bryan was greeted with a flattering demonstration, and he surprised the convention by declaring that he was not there with the idea of bringing up any questions that could or would create division. Naturally such an ennobling sentiment evoked cheers and they were redoubled when he went on to declare that he hoped and believed that the convention would select a ticket which could be supported by a united Democracy. Not content with speaking in such a conciliatory manner, however, he could not help manifesting his volcanic temperament by giving utterance to extreme words in denouncing the action of the Illinois convention. For instance, he made declaration that the convention in Illinois was conducted by men who were on a level with train robbers. This was greetedby an outburst of uproarious yells, but the subsequent vote by which the minority report was lost demonstrated how overwhelmingly the convention was against Col. Bryan's contentions.

On Thursday evening, the subcommittee on platform submitted to the whole platform committee the platform which it recommends for adoption by the committee as its platform for the approval of the convention. The draft of the platform of the sub-committee was published in yesterday's STAR but it calls for no comment, for the reason that the whole committee and ultimately the convention would most likely make some alterations in the proposed platform. No doubt most of the planks will be adopted by the convention but it is not worth while to comment till the platform comes from the convention itself. The whole committee on platform discussed all day yesterday the subcommittee's recommendations but not being able to report, the convention took a recess till 9 o'clock last night.

POPULIST REPUBLICANS

Many of the Republican papers at the North contain a good deal of rot about Populism in the Democratic party. Of course the effort is to discredit Democracy, but the fact of the business is the Populist party has disintegrated and been absorbed by the Republican party.

This we get from the Philadelphia *Press* (Rep.) of Thursday:

"The Populist National Convention, in session at Springfield, Ill., naturally attracts only a small attendance while the Democratic convention is in session at St. Louis. If the Populists had met before or after the Democratic convention the attendance would have been larger, as many Democrats are also Populists, but the larger show is the more attractive."

The small attendance at the Populist National convention indicates that the party is hardly worthy of the name of a party. That the crowd which gathered did not wait to endorse the nominees and platform of the St. Louis convention, indicates that they knew in advance that they had nothing in common with the Democracy now assembled at St. Louis.

About three-fifths of the Populists in the United States were former Republicans. Those former Democrats who became Populists were Republicans at heart and simply went to the Republican party by the Populist route. The head and front of the Populist party, Marion Butler, till recently chairman of the Populist party, has gone bag and baggage to the Republican party. It is welcome to him, to be sure.

The best element of the Populist party will join the Democratic party and will be welcomed.

TWINKLINGS

— Harduppe: Can you lend me $5 to make up a certain sum? Cynical Friend: What's a certain sum? Five dollars?—Town Topics.

— "Have you entirely recovered from your recent long illness?" "Not yet." "What is the trouble with you now?" "The doctor's bill."—Fliegent Blatter.

— Tit for Tat.—Laboring Man—I want to renew my lease. Landlord—Well, the new scale of rent for your flat will be $18 instead of $15 for a month of twenty-five days instead of the old number.—Judge.

— "De world owes us a livin'," said Plodding Pete. "Yes," answered Meandering Mike, "but it neglected to make arrangements so dat we could clip it off from day to day like coupons."—Washington Star.

— Passer-by—I thought you were blind? Mendicant—Well, boss, times is so hard and competition is so great that even a blind man has to keep his eyes open nowadays if he wants to do any business at all.—London Tit-Bitt.

— Barber—I'm feeling rather unnerved to-day; one of my men, in a fit of mental depression, took a razor and cut his throat from ear to ear. Customer (goaded by the tonsorial ordeal)—Don't say? Where did he borrow the razor?—Boston Courier.

— The maiden had taken advantage of leap year to propose. Much to her embarrassment, she had been refused. "I can't understand it," she sobbed. "Why, he even said I was a 'poem!'" "Yes, but a great many poems are rejected," responded her young sister.—Chicago News.

— Towne—My wife saw the new minister for the first time yesterday. Browne—Oh! the Rev. Mr. Hoamley. What did she have to say about him? Towne—What every good woman says about a minister, no matter how ugly he may be: "He has a good face."—Philadelphia Press.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip, $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 47c; rosin nothing doing; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $2.00, 3.25@3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	76
Rosin	124
Tar	3
Crude turpentine	158

Receipts same day last year, 123 casks spirits turpentine, 467 barrels rosin, 51 barrels tar, 143 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, nothing doing.

Receipts— — bales; same day last year, —.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.30; extra prime, $1.35; fancy, $1.40, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, $1.05; extra prime, $1.07½; fancy, $1.10. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@15c per pound; shoulders, 12c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 35@40c; springs, 12½@20c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 3@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Money on call easy at 1¼ per cent.; closing bid 1¼ per ct.; offered 1¼ per ct.; time loans steady; sixty days 2¾@2¾ per cent.; ninety days 2¾@2¾ per cent.; six months 3¼@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.20@487.30 for demand and at 485.20@485.25 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates 486 and 488. Commercial bills 485@485¼. Bar silver 58¼. Mexican dollars 45½. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 104¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, ex int, 104¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, ex int, 105; do. coupon, 106; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 132½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 132½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106¼; do. coupon, ex int, 106¼; Atlantic Coast Line 4's 98¾; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 100¼; Seaboard Air Line 4's 68¾ bid; Southern Railway, 5's, 115 bid. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 93; Chesapeake & Ohio 32¾; Manhattan L 150½; New York Central 116¾; Reading 50½; do. 1st pref'd, 83¾; do. 2nd pref'd 71½; Southern Railway 23½; do. pref'd 86¾; Amalgamated Copper 51½; People's Gas 98¾; Tennessee Coal and Iron 37¾; U. S. Leather 6¾; U. S. Leather preferred, 80¾; Western Union 87; U. S. Steel 10¾; do. preferred 58¾; Mexican Central 8¾; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 26¾; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 99¾; sales — shares. Standard Oil 636.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Rosin firm. Strained common to good $3 00. Spirits turpentine firm.

CHARLESTON, July 8.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 53½c; no sales. Rosin firm; sales — barrels: A, B, C $2 50; D, $2 55; E, $2 60; F, $2 65; G, $2 70; H, $2 90; I, $3 40; K, $3 50; M, $3 75; N, $3 85; W G, $4 40; W W, $4 55.

SAVANNAH, July 8.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 53½c; receipts 1,302 casks; sales 458 casks; exports 4,275 casks. Rosin was quiet; receipts 3,243 barrels; sales 5,560 barrels; exports 3,595 barrels: A, B, C, $2 50; D, $2 55; E, $2 60; F, $2 65; G, $2 70; H, $2 90; I, $3 40; K, $3 50; M, $3 75; N, $3 85; W G, $4 30; W W, $4 55.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The cotton market opened firm at an advance of fifteen points on the old crop and of seven to thirteen points on the new crop months, under active covering and the execution of stop orders uncovered by the advance which was hardly a full response to the firmness of the old crop months and spot market at eight cents. Better weather reports, with the forecast calling for fair weather in the western belt seemed to reassure new crop shorts, and after the opening these positions worked lower, but the continued firmness of Liverpool which closed at about the best or a net advance of twenty-six to twenty-eight points on the old and of eight to thirteen points on the new crop positions, notwithstanding the indifference, continued to advance on covering with July selling as high as 10.87, a net gain of thirty-two points, while August reached 10.90, a net gain of thirty-five points. Further large exports were reported during the afternoon, including about 2,704 bales from local stocks and Southern spot markets were firm to higher, but the idea around the ring appeared to be that the recent heavy buying had about filled up the weaker shorts and in the late trading the market was under considerable pressure, with a prominent local spot house a free seller. There was further covering as prices worked downward, however, and the market was finally steady with July nineteen and August twenty-three points higher, while the later positions were one point higher to three points lower. Sales were estimated at 300,000 bales.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Cotton was quoted steady at 11.25c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 451 bales; stock 55,004 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 20 points higher; middling uplands 11.25c, middling gulf 11.50c; sales 718 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: July 10.74, August 10.77, September 9.78, October 9.55, November 9.47, December 9.50, January 9.54, February 9.56, March 9.60.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 1,397 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,965 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 1,127 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico 50 bales; stock 153,980 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 10,574 bales; exports to Great Britain 12,801 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 13,869 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico 50 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,071,849 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,442,429 bales; exports to France 697,354 bales; exports to the Continent 2,561,579 bales; exports to Japan 42,786 bales; exports to Mexico 26,778 bales.

July 8.—Galveston, steady at 10½c, net receipts 195 bales; Norfolk, nominal at —c, net receipts 197 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 11.05c, net receipts — bales; Boston, steady at 11.05, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts — bales; Philadelphia, steady at 11.50, net receipts — bales; Savannah, steady at 10¾c, net receipts 103 bales; New Orleans, firm at 11.00c, net receipts 853 bales; Mobile, nominal at 10¾c, net receipts — bales; Memphis, quiet at 10 13 16c, net receipts 16 bales; Augusta, quiet at 11, net receipts 20 bales; Charleston, nominal, net receipts — bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Flour was firm with a light business. Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red nominal. Options closed at a partial ¾c net decline: July closed 95; September closed 88½; December 87¼c. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 red 54½. Options closed ¾@¾c net lower: July closed 54½c; September closed 54¼. Oats—Spot steady; mixed, 26 and 32 pounds, 43¼@44. Lard easy; Western steam $7 25; refined easy; continent $7 30. Butter quiet; extra creamery 13@18c; State dairy 13@17. Cheese irregular; State, full cream, small colored and white, choice, 8¼c; large white and colored, choice, 8½c. Eggs were steady; and Pennsylvania nearby, average finest, 21@22c; Southern 15@16c. Peanuts—Market dull; fancy hand-picked 6@6¼c; other domestic 3¼@6¼c. Cabbages quiet; Long Island and Jersey, per 100, $2 50@3 50; per barrel crate, 75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 12. Sugar—Raw firm; refined firm; confectioner's A $4 90; mould A $5 40; cut loaf $5 75; crushed $5 75; powdered $5 15; granulated $5 05; cubes $5 30. Pork quiet. Tallow dull. Rice quiet. Molasses dull. Cotton seed oil was steady on light offerings, with the active trading confined to September option, quotations closing as follows: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills nominal; prime summer yellow 29¾@30c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 33½c; prime winter yellow 32@33c.

CHICAGO, July 8.—A sudden decline to-day followed a sharp advance in wheat, the whipsaw being due largely to sensational crop damage reports from Kansas, preceding more favorable advices from that State. The market closed weak with September down ½@¾c. Corn is off ½@¾c. Oats are down ½c, and provisions 5 to 12½c.

CHICAGO, July 8.—Cash prices: Flour quiet and steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 95@97c; No. 3 spring 85@95c; No. 2 red $1 00@1 02. Corn—No. 2 49½c; No. 2 yellow 51½@52c. Oats—No. 2 39¾@40c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 39@41½c. Rye—No. 2 65@67c. Mess pork, per bbl., $12 65@12 75. Lard, per hundred lbs, quoted at $6 92½@6 95. Short rib sides, loose, $7 37½@7 50. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 25@7 50. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 28.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 91¾@92½, 92¾, 90¼, 90¾c; do., new, 91@91¼, 91¾, 89¾, 89¾c; September, old, 86⅞@87, 87, 85½, 85½@85¼c; do. new, 85@85¾, 85¾, 83¾, 84c. Corn—No. 2 July 49¾@50¼, 50¾, 48¾, 48¾c; September 50¾@50¾, 50⅝, 49¼, 49¼c. Oats—No. 2 July 39¼, 39¼, 38¾, 38¼c; September 33@33¼, 33¼, 32½, 32½; December 33⅞@34, 34, 33⅜, 33¾. Mess pork, per bbl—July $12 75, 12 75, 12 67½, 12 72½; September $12 97½, 13 05, 12 85, 12 92½. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $7 05, 7 05, 6 92½, 6 92½; September $7 17½, 7 17½, 7 05, 7 10; October $7 20, 7 20, 7 17½, 7 15. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $7 45, 7 47½, 7 40, 7 42½c; September $7 65, 7 67½, 7 57½, 7 65; October $7 67½, 7 67½, 7 62½, 7 67.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 7½c; mild steady; Cordova 9½@12c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 10@15 points and closed steady on the opening basis. Sales 53,000 bags.

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A. & Y. Railroad—26 casks spirits turpentine, 73 barrels rosin, 18 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Tar Heel—37 casks spirits turpentine, 51 barrels rosin, 3 barrels tar, 75 barrels crude turpentine.

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FOREIGN MARKETS

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 8.—Cotton: Spot, good business done; prices 20 points higher; American middling fair 6.60d; good middling 6.46d; middling 6.36d; low middling 6.22d; good ordinary 6.04d; ordinary 5.84d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 7,400 bales American. Receipts 4,000 bales, including 2,500 bales American.

Futures opened firm and closed with the near months strong and distant positions steady; American middling (g o c): July 6.28d; July and August 6.20d; August and September 6.00d; September and October 5.53d; October and November 5.33d; November and December 5.29d; December and January 5.26; January and February 5.25d; February and March 5.25d; March and April 5.25d.

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Irene, 435 tons, Winchester, C D Maffitt.

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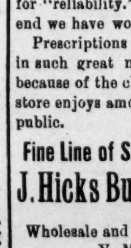

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Sardines, Salmon
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Foreclosure's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by A. V. Horrell to Thomas J. Gore, dated the 28th September, 1901, and recorded at pages 247 et seq. in Book 32 of the Records in the office of Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, I will at 12 o'clock M. on Monday, the 1st day of August, 1904, at the Court House door of New Hanover county in the city of Wilmington, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, all the tract of land and premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage situate, lying and being in Harnett township, county of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the line of the late William A. Berry, said stake being fifty-nine (59) poles from the beginning of the same Berry's line at Maloney's Swamp, and running thence from said stake south 28 deg. east two hundred and eleven (211) poles to a stake at the edge of the sound, thence with the sound eastwardly to a stake, Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's corner, and thence with the southern line of said Lewis M. Hewett's and Mary E. Hewett's north 45 deg W. two hundred and seventeen (217) poles to the beginning, containing 46 acres, more or less.

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AL. J. MARSHALL, Attorney. Je 30 30t

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Notice of Election.

Take notice that an election will be held in the City of Wilmington on Wednesday, the 27th day of July, 1904, for the purpose of submitting to the people the following issues to be voted upon by them:

1. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the City of Wilmington, N. C.?

2. Whether dispensaries shall be established in the said City of Wilmington, North Carolina?

The polls will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until sunset on the day of election at the following places:

First Ward—Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Registrar, J. A. Barnes. Judges of Election, G. F. Quinn, F. T. Skipper.

Second Ward—Old Court House. Registrar, W. W. Hodges. Judges of Election, W. Sloan Huggins, L. Tate Bowden.

Third Ward—Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. Registrar, A. G. Hankins Judges of Election, C. C. Covington, Jno. C. Boesch.

Fourth Ward—Worth Ice House, Dock street. Registrar, T. G. Pickett. Judges of Election, Geo. D Parsley, H. L. Vollers.

Fifth Ward—Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets. Registrar, W. D. Rhodes. Judges of Election, K. W. Jewell, T. G. Landen.

By order of the Board of Aldermen, this June 6th, 1904

B. F KING,
Clerk and Treasurer.

Registration Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen held in the city of Wilmington on Monday June 6th, 1904, it was ordered that a registration be had in all the wards of the city for the purpose of allowing voters to register for an election to be held in the different wards of the city on Wednesday, 27th day of July, 1904. To vote upon the following questions to be submitted to the people:

1st. Whether intoxicating liquors shall be manufactured in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

2nd. Whether dispensary shall be established in the city of Wilmington, N. C.

The registration books will be open at the following places:

First Ward, Hose Wagon House, Fourth and Campbell streets, J. A. Barnes, registrar.

Second Ward, Old Court House, W. W. Hodges, registrar.

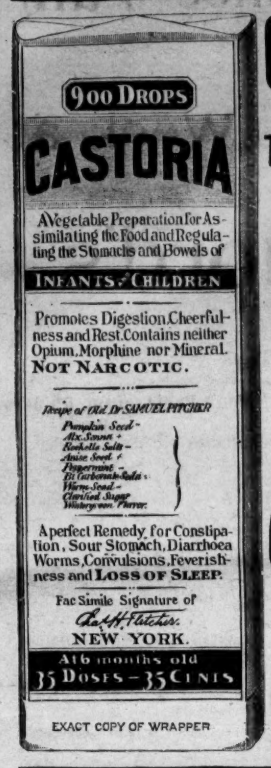
Third Ward, Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets, A. G. Hankins, registrar.

Fourth Ward, Worth's Ice House, Dock street, T. G. Pickett, registrar.

Fifth Ward, Hook and Ladder House, Fifth and Castle streets, W. Rhodes, registrar.

In accordance with Section 6, Chapter 750, Acts of 1901, registrars will be furnished with registration books and shall take oath to faithfully discharge the duties of registrars as prescribed by law; shall revise the registration books of their respective wards, so as to show an accurate list of the electors previously registered in such ward or precinct and still residing therein, without requiring such electors to be registered anew; said registrars shall between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M. on each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for closing the registration books as hereinafter provided, keep open said books for the registration of any new electors residing in such ward or precinct and entitled to register whose names have never before been registered in such ward or precinct, or do not appear in the revised list; that said books shall be open until 9 o'clock P. M. of each Saturday during such registration period; that said books shall be closed for registration on the second Saturday before election, July 27th, 1904; that on the second Saturday before the election said registration books shall be kept open at the polling place in each ward or precinct to the inspection of the electors of the ward or precinct, and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books, such challenges to be heard and determined as provided for in Chapter 750, Acts of 1901. The registration shall begin on Friday, July 8th, 1904, and close on Saturday, July 16th, 1904.

B. F. KING,
je 8 30t Clerk and Treasurer.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Great Bargain Week

My Bargain week begins Monday, June 13, and lasts until June 21th, (two weeks).

Ladies' Collars and Ties, worth 25 c for 8c. Ladies' Silk Collars and Ties, worth 50c for 19c.

Our $3 00 ready-to-wear Hats for $1.25; our $4.00 ready-to-wear Hats for 98c; our $4.00 Tucked Chiffon and Moleno Hats for $2.00. All our Misses 98c Tuscan Hats for 38c; all our Misses 35c Tuscan Hats for 19c.

I have a big line Silk Lawn and Percale Waists, latest styles, which I will sell at cost. Our 85c Black Duck Skirts at 49c. Our $1.50 Skirts in Voil, Brillianteen, Flannel and Serge $2.50. Our $10 Pean-De-Soie Silk Skirts $6. Our $2.70 Skirts, now $1.98. I have over ten thousand Skirts to be sold by June 27.

All our fine Pa'era Hats will go at just half price. Lawn Comoners, full dress length 38c, worth $1. Will sell any Flowers 20 per cent. off marked price. Kid Gloves worth $1 to $1.25 for 75c. All R obons will go 25 per cent. off. Lace Curtains—Rugs 20 per cent. off. One Pint, Jars, Vasolide, 7c, worth 25c; large Jars, Vasoline, 3c, worth 10. This will be the greatest sale of the season. If you wait too long lots o' the bargains will be sold.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Raleigh Post: The Raleigh postoffice receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1904, shewed a substantial gain, amounting to nearly $4,500 more than the preceding year. It speaks well, both for the business of Raleigh and the administration of Postmaster Bailey.

— Charlotte Chronicle: The Populist convention at Springfield was a sorry sort of an affair. It was a very small gathering and there was an utter lack of enthusiasm. In fact, a feeling of gloom pervaded the meeting. They had better break up housekeeping and go to boarding with the Democratic and Republican parties.

— Chatham Record: We wonder how those former Populists in Chatham, who are now rabid Roosevelt Republicans, like the "Crumpacker" plank in the Republican platform? Have they really gone so far as to be willing for our State's representation to be reduced because the ignorant negroes are disfranchised?

— Winston Sentinel, July 7th: In view of the known attitude of the Reaublican party on the negro question and the probability that the Democratic National Convention will take the opposite position on this great problem, there should be little doubt in the minds of Southern voters as to what ticket they shall support in the approaching election.

— Charlotte Chronicle, July 6th: People who live on the Salisbury road in this county tell of a curious freak of lightning on the farm of Mr. W. F. Alexander, during a thunder storm several days ago. A cow and her young calf were standing under a tree during the storm, when lightning struck the tree, passed through it, killed the calf, and cut off, as with a knife, the four feet of the cow. The cow is not yet dead, but has since been lying in the place where she was stricken. The story may sound improbable, but jit was first told to 'Squire D. G. Maxwell, who swears by it and says there is no doubt in his mind but that it is true.

— Charlotte Chronicle: Mr. Chase Brenizer, the Democratic nominee for presidential elector, has not yet decided as to whether he will accept the challenge of Mr. A. A. Whitener, the Republican nominee for the same office, for a joint canvass. He received the challenge from Mr. Whitener some days ago and immediately wrote the State chairman, Senator F. M. Simmons, and asked if it would be the policy of the State committee to encourage joint discussions this year. He is waiting to hear from Senator Simmons before he replies to Mr. Whitener's challenge. It has been suggested that a double joint canvass might be arranged between Congressman Webbb and Mr. Jake F. Newell and Messrs. Brenizer and Whitener.

— A severe hailstorm visited upper Wolf Pit township, Richmond county, Monday afternoon. It started near Steele's mill, and progressed in an easterly direction. The destruction to crops was terrific. The cotton, which was from one to two feet in height, was completely stripped of leaves, and much of it beaten to pieces. Fortunately the devastation extended over a comparatively small area, being only a mile in width and three miles in length. The heaviest losers were the Ledbetter heirs, T. A. Horne, R. J. Pence, H. C. Dockery and Martin Covington, the latter a colored man It is thought $20,000 will probably cover the loss.

— Raleigh News and Observer: County Treasurer B. P. Williamson yesterday received a check for $6,250, the share of the school fund in the dispensary profits for the second quar's operations. In addition to this sum he has on hand $4,000 which was paid in at the end of the first quarter's operations. In addition to other moneys on hand these sums make up over $12,000, which is now in the hands of the treasurer to school fund account. From the foregoing it will be seen that the dispensary during the first six months of its existence has been making money at the rate of over $40,000 net per annum, as it must be remembered that, out of the first quarter's earnings were paid the expenses of putting the concern into operation. The sum received by the county—aggregating $10,250—is just one half the net profits accruing to this date, less State tax and the expenses attending upon starting the dispensary. With the increased business of the fall and winter months the rate of profit will doubtless be largely increased. It would be safe to estimate the income of the county and city from the dispensary for the first year's operations at a sum in excess of $50,000.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Charles Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood; but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained fifty-eight pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, } In the Superior Court.

Carolina Wise et al.

vs.

Henry McMillan,

By virtue and in pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county in the above entitled cause, said action being for the sale of land and premises hereinafter described for division among the plaintiffs and defendants as tenants in common, the undersigned Commissioner will expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door of New Hanover county, on Monday, the 11th day of July, 1904, at 12 o'clock M. on said day, the following described lot of land situate, lying and being in the city of Wilmington, North Carolina: Beginning in the southern line of Nixon street at the western intersection of Brooklyn street, runs thence southwardly with the western line of Brooklyn street 120 feet; thence westwardly parallel with Nixon street 75 feet; thence north and parallel with Brooklyn street, 120 feet to the southern line of Nixon street; thence east with the said southern line of Nixon street 75 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1 and 3 in Block 32?, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington, N. C. CAMERON F. McRAE, Commissioner

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Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

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You can "ditto" Uneeda Biscuit with every meal—with every sort of meal—whenever you are hungry

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A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, Cal., writes: "For fifteen years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me, though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." It's just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC Trust and Banking Co., at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina at the close of business, June 9th, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 399,319 16
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		26 17
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		100 00
Demand loans		56,720 00
Due from Banks and Bankers		23,519 93
Checks and other cash items		453 94
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Gold coin	$10 00	
Silver coin	332 28	
National Bank Notes and other U. S. Notes	635 00	977 28
Total		$481,181 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,843 59
Individual deposits subject to check	385,567 46
Time certificates of deposit	31,778 00
Certified checks	1,496 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	587 45
Total	$ 481,181 50

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, M. F. Allen, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. F. ALLEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, 1904.

JAMES OWEN REILLY, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

L. B. ROGERS,
JNO. H. KUCK,
ROBERT R. BELLAMY, } Directors.

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Pre-inventory and Removal Sale.

Beginning Tuesday morning, July 5th, our great removal sale will commence. Our annual inventory will take place August 1st. The stock of merchandise must be reduced. All goods have been marked down, some at one-half off, some one-third off, and some at a discount of 25 per cent. How many shrewd shoppers will come at once.

Partial List of Our Bargains.

NOTIONS—
All-Linen Handkerchiefs, removal price, 5c.
10 c Bathing Caps, removal price, 25c.
3 balls Darning Cotton, removal price, for 5c.
Brush Binding, all shades, 3c per yard.
25c Ladies' Hose Supporters, removal price, 21c
15c Black Lace Hose, removal price, 10c.
25 per cent. discount on Ladies' Lawn Shirt Waists.
25c odd Corsets, removal price, 45c.
All-Linen Handkerchiefs for Ladies 5c each.
25c Gents' Half Hose 19c per pair.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.
$10 00 pattern Hats, removal price, $5.50.
$8.00 Imported Pattern Hats, removal price, $4.00, and so on, all trimmed millinery at half price.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.
90x90 plain Mohawk Sheets, worth 90c each, removal price, 75c.
81x90 plain Mohawk Sheets worth 80c each, removal price, 69c.
15c Pillow Cases, removal price 11c.
Londale Cambric, removal price, 10c.
Danish Cloth, all colors, 10c per yard.
Fruit of the Loom Sheeting 7½c per yard.
25c white Persian Lawn 19c per yard.

Sale begins Tuesday, July 5th—Terms Cash.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.

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Wilmington, Carolina Beach and Southport Steamboat Line.

SUMMER SCHEDULE ON AND AFTER SUNDAY, JUNE 5TH.

Boat leaves Wilmington daily except Saturday and Sunday.	For Southport. 9.15 A. M.	For Carolina Beach. A. M. 9.15 P. M. 2.45, 5.15	Leave Southport for Wilmington. A. M. 11.45	Leave Carolina Beach for Wilmington. 12.30, 3.30, 6 P. M.
Saturday Schedule	5.00 and 2.00 P. M.	2.00 P. M.	8.00 A. M., 5.00 P. M.	9.00 A.M., 6.00 P. M.
Sunday Schedule	9.30 A. M., 2.30 P. M.	A. M. 9.30 P. M. 2.30, 7.45	4.45 A. M., 4.45 P. M.	P. M. 12.30, 6, 45

Fare on 5:15 Boat to Pier and return 15 cents. Extra trips will be made to Carolina Beach on special occasions.

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Statement of the Condition of the

ATLANTIC NATIONAL BANK,

Wilmington, N. C.

At close of business, June 9, 1904, condensed from report to the Comptroller of the Currency.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 921,770 42	Capital stock	$125,000 00
Overdrafts	1,465 37	Surplus and undivided profits (less expenses and taxes paid)	196,540 56
Stocks, bonds, securities, &c.	313,360 00	National Bank notes outstanding	125 000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	30,000 00	Deposits	1,166,221 60
Cash and due from banks	347,706 37		
	$1,614,702 16		$1,614,762 16

J. W YATES, Asst. Cashier, J. S. ARMSTRONG, President. je 14 tf

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Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 50 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar Wilson	11 39 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 06 p m

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SOUTHBOUND

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 02 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 59 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

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Lv Wilmington	8 45 a m	Ar 8 00 p m
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TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:00 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:20 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

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Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	.....
Ar Chester	10 30 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 35 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	6 15 a m
Ar Atlanta	8 55 p m	7,50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 35 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 30 p m	4 55 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 00 p m	9 05 a m
Ar Tampa	7 35 a m	6 35 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	2 30 a m	11 30 a m
Ar Norlina	3 27 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Portsmouth	8,00 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 20 a m	10 55 a m
Ar Norlina	3 47 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 30 p m	11 25 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 30 a m

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SATURDAY MORNING JULY 9.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Spent Entire Night on Platform—Verbal Encounter Between Bryan and Hill. The Gold Plank Voted Down.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—The committee on resolutions spent the entire night on the platform, and at 8:30 considered the last resolution of the draft submitted by the sub-committee. But this did not mean that the platform was finished and ready for the convention. The struggle continued until late in the day, when the committee adjourned until 6 o'clock after sixteen hours continuous session.

There were many dramatic scenes, not the least striking of which was the verbal encounter between Senator Hill and Mr. Bryan. It occurred while Mr. Bryan was engaged in making one of his many attacking upon the gold standard plank as framed by the sub-committee. He was wrought up to high tension, when approaching the New York leader, and shaking his finger dangerously near the nose of the gentleman, he exclaimed: "You ought to have a gold platform to go with the gold candidate you are forcing upon the country."

Mr. Hill replied that he knew nothing as to Mr. Parker's monetary views. "Do you mean to say," demanded the Nebraskan, "that you don't know Judge Parker's financial views?"

"I mean just that," responded Mr. Hill.

"You have no knowledge on that subject?"

"None."

"Have never asked him?"

"I have not. I have never sought to secure expression of his views and he has never sought to convey them to me. I only know that he is a Democrat and a high-minded and patriotic man, and I believe that he can be trusted in implicitly on this, as upon other matters of public policy."

Two financial planks offered by Senator Carmack were voted down. Mr. Bryan presented a suggestion declaring it to be the sense of the Democratic party that the volume of the currency should not be diminished, but Mr. Hill complained that in the action of the committee last night in voting down the gold plank, the insertion of the proposed resolution would be a species of bad faith. The committee accepted this view and voted down the resolution. No further financial planks were suggested and the platform being considered complete, was then adopted by a rising vote and in the midst of general applause.

As the members emerged from the chamber, they generally expressed themselves as satisfied with the work they had accomplished, some of the expressions heard being as follows:

Senator Daniel: "The platform was unanimously adopted and is reasonably satisfactory."

Senator Tillman: "We have accomplished a miracle; we have succeeded in getting a platform without any poison in it."

Mr. Bryan: "I am fairly well satisfied with the platform. I have had opportunity to present some matters as I desired and I have had to make concessions in some instances in order to get what I wanted in others."

"Will you support a ticket on this platform?" was asked of him.

"I will certainly support the platform," was his reply, and this was said in a way to convince his interrogator that he fully expected to be able to support both platform and ticket.

The Parker supporters are confident that they will nominate on the second ballot if not on the first ballot, but to this the anti-Parker element takes exception. Charles A. Towne said to-day: "We still control more than a third of the delegates and if they stick to the third or fourth ballot you will see a jump to some candidate other than Parker!"

"Will it be McClellan?"

"Well, if it is, some other State must start it. We cannot as we are instructed for Parker."

Senator Hill and Wm. J. Bryan came out together and both were smiling. Mr. Bryan said to the newspaper men: "Now, boys, be sure and get Hill's platform right," and Hill [illegible] we will have to share honors on that."

Mr. Bryan said: "We are all satisfied. We have all wanted some things put in that the committee has rejected, but on the whole the document is perfectly satisfactory. You know you can't get everything you want."

Senator Hill said: "I am perfectly satisfied. Of course there are things that I wanted in, and thought should go in, but in politics it is give and take, and I am taking."

"Will Judge Parker stand on the platform as drawn?" was asked.

"I do not see why not. I am said to be one of his friends," he answered, smiling, "and I have said I am satisfied."

Despite Senator Hill's optimistic views of the situation, there were many expressions of strong disapproval in the Parker headquarters by delegates. One said: "Parker cannot stand for such a platform, and if he is nominated he will be compelled to deal with the financial question in his letter of acceptance."

To this statement Cord Myer, the chairman of the New York Democratic State committee, said: "Something like that will have to be done or we will not be able to carry New York."

The anti-Parker people were jubilant over the matter when they heard the disposition of the financial plank.

Charles F. Murphy said: "I don't think the decision of the committee has improved Parker's chances, but of course nobody knows Judge Parker's views."

It was said at Tammany headquarters to-day that at a meeting of the anti-Parker forces last night, Mr. Bryan had stated that he would willingly accept either Olney, of Massachusetts, or Gray of Delaware, as a compromise candidate, and that Fred Williams had declared that he would accept Olney.

TERRIFIC RAIN STORMS

At Raleigh, N. C., and Camden, S. C. Negroes Killed by Lightning.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 8.—A terrific rain storm visited this section this afternoon. The lightning was intense and just in the edge of Raleigh two negro boys named Temple, aged 6 and 8 years, who had sought shelter under a tree were killed. The bolt first struck the tree, splintering it, and jumped to the boys, but left no signs on them.

CAMDEN, S. C., July 8.—During a storm which passed over this section Jim Egypt, a colored man who worked on C. J. Shannon's plantation in West Wateree, was killed by lightning and two other negroes were badly stunned.

PROBABILITY OF HEAVY FIGHTING.

Roads Drying Up and the Japanese Columns Pushing Forward at All Points.

DISCONCERTING RUSSIANS.

Great Naval Activity—Rumor of Engagement at Port Arthur—Russian Baltic Squadron to Sail from Cronstadt With Sealed Orders.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 8, 1:25 P. M. With the return of three days fine weather, drying the roads at the theatre of war, the military authorities here are once more inclined to believe in the probability of heavy fighting and even in the possibility of a general engagement. The Japanese columns appear again to be pushing forward at all points, but the strategic plans of the Japanese, as well as the location of their main force and the place where their chief blow will be struck, whether at Kai Chou, Hai Cheng, Liao Yang or even at Mukden, are still puzzling the Russian authorities. In a general way the Japanese seem to be withdrawing their pressure southwest of Kai-Chou and Liao Yang, but to be maintaining it northeast, as if contemplating a combined attack on Ta Tche Kiao and Liao Yang.

The success of the Japanese flanking operations is disconcerting the Russians. One by one the passes in the mountains which the Russians had fortified in advance with infinite pains, have been attacked by the Japanese, who have always managed by trails not marked on the maps to circumvent the Russians.

Baltic Squadron.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 8, 1:20 P. M. —A division of the Baltic squadron will sail from Cronstadt, July 28th, under sealed orders. Complete mystery enshrouds its destination. It is said, although nothing is certain on the point, that the orders for the division will be opened at five day intervals. There are attending circumstances which make it seem unlikely that the division will start on its long journey to the Far East until the other ships are ready. It is understood the division will include the armored cruiser Admiral Nakhimoff, the battleship Osliabia, the protected cruiser Aurora and the battleship Alexander III, and possibly the battleship Navarin and the transport Kamichatka.

The general naval situation, with the Port Arthur squadron ready for sorties at will, and the Vladivostok squadron embarrassing the Japanese transport plans, compelling the constant presence of Vice-Admiral Kamimura in the sea of Japan, is considered to have much improved. There is elation everywhere over the latest successful cruise of the latter.

Kuroki Advancing.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 8, 1:32 P. M. —A special dispatch from New Chwang, dated yesterday, says Gen. Kuroki is advancing all along the line, and adds that Japanese officers are organizing Chinese bandit bands throughout the Liao Valley for an attack on Mukden.

Naval Engagement.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 8, 1:32 P. M. It is reported in a dispatch from Liao Yang, under yesterday's date, that a persistent rumor is current there to the effect that a naval engagement has occurred at Port Arthur, in which twenty-one Japanese warships participated, resulting in a Russian victory.

A similar report was current at Liao Yang July 5, the location of the engagement then being given as northward of Gen San, Korea.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 2; Washington, 1.
St. Louis-Chicago, rain.
Cleveland, 3; Detroit, 1. Second game, Cleveland, 2; Detroit 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 9; Philadelphia, 1.
Chicago, 1; Brooklyn, 0.
Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 10.
St. Louis-New York, rain.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

New Orleans, 5; Shreveport, 6.
Little Rock, 0; Memphis, 4.
Nashville-Atlanta, rain.
Birmingham-Montgomery, rain.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Columbia-Charleston, wet grounds.
Jacksonville, 5; Macon, 2.
Savannah, 3; Augusta, 1.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

For the Week Ending Friday, July 8th, 1904.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending July 8th, 1904:

	1904.	1903.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week ...	10,574	14,697
Total receipts to this date	7,071,849	7,678,342
Exports for week..	36,710	13,486
Total exports to date	5,772,917	6,459,083
Stock in all U. S. ports.	153,980	245,097
Stock at all interior towns.....	89,468	18,439
Stock in Liverpool,	——	492,000
American afloat for Great Britain ...	——	15,000

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 8.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1903:

Galveston, 2,334,848; New Orleans, 1,972,201; Mobile, 198,399; Savannah, 1,137,728; Charleston, 155,377; Wilmington, 321,000; Norfolk, 472,367; Baltimore, 28,655; New York, 43,973; Boston, 30,142; Newport News, 15,656; Philadelphia, 13,963; Brunswick, 92,786; Fernandina, 1,050; Pensacola, 121,084; Port Arthur, 55,466; Port Townsend, 28,067; San Francisco, 14,719; Portland, Ore., 1,100; El Paso, 1,100; Eagle Pass, 13,235; Laredo, 19,037. Total, 7,071,849.

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THE DEMOCRATIC NAT'L CONVENTION.

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A PARKER DEMONSTRATION

Followed Nominating Speech Made by Littleton, of New York—Anti-Parker Delegates Attempted to Create Enthusiasm for Hearst.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—The Democratic National Convention spent the morning hours to-day in waiting for the committee on resolutions. A committee was appointed by Chairman Champ Clark to call on the Resolutions Committee and learn when the platform would be submitted to the convention. Just before the noon hour, the convention's emissaries announced that the Resolution Committee would report, that the action of the committee would be unanimous and a platform submitted which he declared would bring the party a glorious victory." The convention then took a recess until 8 o'clock.

The Night Session.

The crush of visitors around the doors and inside the convention hall at 8 o'clock, the time set for the opening of the convention, was greater than at any previous time. It was something rarely paralleled at any national convention.

At 8 o'clock there was not a vacant seat in the vast auditorium. From platform to topmost gallery it was packed with delegates, alternates and spectators. The heat was intense. The streets on the four sides of the Coliseum were impassable. By the time the chairman called the convention to order the hall was filled to the danger line and beyond. A series of energetic thumps on the presiding officer's table were given by Chairman Clark at 8:03 o'clock in an endeavor to call the convention to order. As Mr. Clark stood at the desk, Senator Daniel, of Virginia, chairman of the Resolutions Committee, made his way to his side with a copy of the platform in his hand.

Without delay it was announced that the report of the committee would be received.

At this statement, the convention seized the opportunity to vent its satisfaction at the unanimous report to be made. A great cry went up Many delegates jumped to their feet and the first demonstration of the night session occurred.

Becoming impatient at the delay, Senator Daniel began his announcement in the midst of the uproar. "I am instructed to make to this convention," he began, "this unanimous report from the committee on resolutions."

The senator's persistence had the desired effect, although it was several minutes before the convention composed itself, and warning had to be given by the reading clerk that quiet must be preserved. Cries of "louder" were repeatedly made as Senator Daniel proceeded, for his voice seemed inadequate to the hall.

A great hum of conversation and an all pervading noise of shuffling feet, moving bodies and scraping chairs, mingled to drown the Virginian's voice Powerful as it is he could not be heard ten rows of seats from the stand on which he stood.

An Ohio delegate, after repeatedly addressing the chairman in a loud manner, demanded order.

"All right, sit down and keep still and we will have order" retorted Mr. Clark.

Then, turning to the clerk, he directed again that the aisles be cleared.

Senator Daniel's exhaustion from his long session with the resolutions committee was apparent. To the vast audience which faced him he was but a silent figure with moving lips.

Ten minutes went by with the same disorder, the reading of the platform not being heard, when another interruption was made at the instance of Chairman Clark, at which order was demanded, but ineffectually. Disturbances resulting from cries for order from various portions of the hall exhausted the patience of Chairman Clark and he gave personal directions to have several persons quieted or put out. Senator Daniel, however, refused to be disturbed. He proceeded with the reading of the platform regardless of the fact that not one soul heard a word.

Senator Daniel concluded reading the platform at 8:55 o'clock. When it was observed that he had ceased reading the convention broke into cheers.

Platform Adopted.

Senator Daniels said: "I am unanimously instructed by your committee on platform to move the previous question on its adoption, and I now make that motion."

It was adopted by a viva voce vote, two or three delegations voting in the negative, apparently in a spirit of fun. Chairman Clark then put the motion to adopt the report and another viva voce vote carried it.

Temporary Chairman J. S. Williams mounted the steps leading up to the platform, swung his hat around his head and the delegates, following his lead, roared their applause again, while the band played "Hail Columbia."

Call for Nominations.

"The clerk will now call the roll of States for the nomination of a candidate for President," shouted the chairman.

A wild cry of delight came from the galleries who seemed to think the whole thing a show run for their entertainment.

"Alabama!" shrieked the clerk.

"Alabama yields to the Empire State of New York," called Delegate Russell, of Alabama, standing on his chair, one arm grasping the standard of his State marker.

Martin W. Littleton, of New York, of medium height and sturdy figure, with a full clean shaven face, with a heavy mass of dark brown hair, tossed back from his brow and ears, took the stand amid ringing applause to place Judge Parker, of New York, in nomination. Mr. Littleton's manner o speaking is calm and deliberate and he uses few gestures. His voice is full, resonant and of decidedly pleasing quality and could be heard further than that of any speaker who had preceded him with the possible exception of Richmond P. Hobson.

Mr. Littleton was given close attention. For the first time during the session there was silence in the hall and his fine voice suppressed the fiend in the gallery with his cry of "louder." His speech was received with alternate cheers and outbursts of approving laughter.

A terrific outburst of cheering followed Mr. Littleton's remark about Judge Parker: "If you ask me why he has been silent, I answer because he has not attempted to be the master of his party but is content to be its servant."

All that had happened in the convention up to the time Mr. Littleton concluded his address, multiplied many times, was almost as nothing compared to the hurricane that broke out when he mentioned the name "Alton B. Parker." On the part of the Parker delegates it was a revelation in the passion of politics. Like one man they sprang up in their chairs with everything that could be waved and tossed high in the air.

Florida, after a few seconds of wild yelling, started around the hall, its men screaming and tossing high silken banners, inscribed "Florida, Safe and Sound." Texas, Georgia and many other States fell behind and with wild yells followed on. The delegates tore the State emblems from the poles, and carrying them high over head, tramped around the hall, again and again, cheering frenziedly, American flags appeared magically and tossed flaming bits of color into the scene.

After the excitement had continued about twelve minutes, there was a perceptible abatement and the band struck up "America," thousands of voices joining in the song. The lull speedily passed away, for the band struck up "Dixie," and with a spasmodic yell the applause started all over again.

Rising and falling in huge overwhelming wave of sound, the demonstration was kept up, coatless, often collarless, the perspiring enthusiasts marched, waved and shouted, while band and gallery crowds did their best to swell the roar. During the march a huge crayon bust picture of Parker was carried up the centre aisle. Just as it reached the platform two young ladies, the Misses Adelle and Evaline Haywood, of St. Louis, dressed in white and carrying mammoth bouquets of roses and ferns, were assisted to the presiding officer's table, and the huge portrait was held for a moment between them, face to face to delegates and the State banners which had formed the procession were held aloft and massed around it. Rythmic shouts of "Parker," "Parker," "Alton B. Parker" were started and caught up.

At the expiration of twenty-two minutes, efforts were made to still the demonstration. A megaphone shout near the platform was begun for "Parker," "Parker," "Alton B. Parker," however, and things again broke loose. The demonstration lasted twenty-five minutes.

Throughout the enthusiasm the Nebraska delegation, Bryan at its head, sat, the members craning their heads to see what was going on, but without rising.

When the demonstration was at its height, Mr. Bryan sent a message to some one in the other part of the hall and soon he was in conference with several anti-Parker men.

The Parker picture was carried from the platform and placed near the New Yorkers' position in the hall. It was soon taken down; but just the instant it was lowered the California delegation displayed a Hearst picture, only for an instant, but it was long enough for his following among those delegates to catch sight of it and a ringing shout went up. It kindled again the dying demonstration for Parker, "We won't go home until morning" played the band, and when the air was concluded quiet was once more restored in the great hall.

"Arkansas," shouted the clerk, proceeding with the call of States at the chair's direction.

"Arkansas yields to Tennessee," answered the chairman of the delegation.

Senator Carmack, of that State, was recognized and at once took the platform and began a speech in seconding the nomination of Judge Parker.

Senator Carmack had spoken but a few words when "Hurrah for Hearst" was hurled at him from the balcony, the remark being greeted by cheers and some hisses. The great body of the convention disapproved with energy.

Senator Carmack concluded his speech at 10:15. The galleries seized the opportunity for a shout and disturbance reigned for many minutes, while Chairman Clark pounded with his gavel for order.

"California," called the clerk.

"Mr. Chairman," responded Delegate Tarpey, "California recognizes as her spokesman E. M. Delmas."

Mr. Delmas took the platform to speak for William R. Hearst. He spoke calmly and enunciated clearly. His mention of the gentleman from Nebraska called forth an enthusiastic tribute.

Mr. Delmas' address closing with the name of William Randolph Hearst was the signal for cheers, which, while enthusiastic, were much less in volume than those following the mention of Parker's name.

A 7-foot portrait of Hearst was taken to the platform, another of similar size was raised in the gallery back of the platform while numerous smaller portraits were shown on long poles raised from among the delegates.

The parade around the hall which had been carried on during the preceding demonstration was quickly undertaken, California leading off and Arizona, Nevada, South Dakota, Washington and Wyoming joining in. The banner of the Illinois delegation was not carried into the line.

In marching around the hall many of the Hearst enthusiasts stopped to shake hands with Col. Bryan, who remained standing during the early part of the demonstration. After a severe fit of coughing, however, Mr. Bryan took his seat.

A red headed enthusiast in a gray suit was lifted up on the shoulders of several men to the left of the speaker's platform and cheered wildly for Hearst, but he was soon compelled to climb down, for his bright colored hair was too conspicuous a target for the multitude of paper wads that came at him from all sides. Water was thrown on him, and in a few minutes, he scrambled desperately for release. When he reached the floor he remarked: "That water felt good," but he declined to give his name.

A second gentleman, with red whiskers, mounted a chair and attempted a speech. He, too, was pelted down and a policeman took him to the outer darkness.

Meantime the demonstration for the editor candidate went on, rising and falling in degree. Fully a dozen times the line completed the circuit, and then the California banner was carried up to the speaker's platform, and the other States massed their emblems at the foot of the steps. A young woman rose up in section L and waved a small flag. She brought to her side fifty other people who joined in her tribute, and for a time, she was the heart of the storm center. When she sat down the end began to come.

"The State of Colorado," called the the clerk. The response was immediate, and Thomas O'Donnell began a speech seconding the nomination of Judge Parker. The quiet of exhaustion prevailed as Mr. O'Donnell proceeded, and approval of his utterances was confined to handclapping.

After the applause which followed O'Donnell's conclusion Connecticut was called and Walter S. Cummings seconded the nomination of Parker.

L. Irving Handy, of Delaware, followed Mr. Cummings and nominated Judge George Gray.

"Florida," called Mr. Clark.

John S. Beard, of that State, who was standing by the West Virginia reservation, asked for recognition which the chair at first denied him, not knowing who he was, but after explanation, Mr. Beard took his place by the Florida sign and proceeded to second the nomination of Hearst.

Moses Wright, of Georgia, followed, in a clearing ringing seconding speech for Parker that held the attention of the convention closely.

When Iowa was reached one of the delegates arose and declared that representing "one of the unpurchased and unpurchasable delegates of that State," whereupon there was great confusion and opposition in his delegation. He proved to be Sam S. Wright and seconded the nomination of Parker amid great cheering.

When Illinois was called Clarence Darrow seconded Hearst, at whose name the galleries vented their enthusiasm. When he said: "It seems to be fate that the men who once scuttled the Democratic ship shall once more be placed in power," there were cheers and hisses.

Thomas H. Hall, of Texas, seconded Parker's nomination and Champ Clark, of Missouri, placed in nomination Senator Cockrell.

At 1:19 A. M. a motion to limit seconding speeches to four minutes was carried.

At 2:10 A. M. Mayor Patrick A. Collins, of Boston, nominated Richard Olney, of Massachusetts.

At 3:05 A. M. a ballot was apparently in sight.

THE VICE PRESIDENCY.

No One Man Has Yet Been Singled Out. A Desire to Select a Man from Indiana, Illinois or Ohio.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—Great uncertainty still exists concerning the vice presidential nomination. No one man has yet been singled out by the leaders and large delegations to be supported for the second place. There seems to be a desire to select a man from Illinois, Indiana or Ohio if possible. Continued efforts have been made to have Marshall Field, of Chicago, allow the use of his name, but so far without result.

In Indiana, John W. Kern and Benjamin F. Shively are mentioned. Ohio men are in doubt whether a candidate shall be presented from that State. Judson Harmon, formerly attorney general in President Cleveland's cabinet, or John R. McLean, proprietor of the Cincinnati "Enquirer," have both been discussed in connection with the second place on the ticket, but no determination has been reached to present either of them.

The Western men have secured quite a large number of delegates to support former Senator George Turner, of Washington.

DEATH SENTENSE COMMUTED.

Raleigh Visited by Terrific Storm Yesterday Afternoon—Banks of the State.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 8.—Governor Aycock commutes the death sentence of Archie Lipscombe, colored, of Granville county, to life imprisonment. He was convicted of the murder of Caswell Merritt. He says there is sufficient doubt as to the responsibility of the prisoner to justify the commutation. Lipscombe believed Merritt to have conjured his wife so she would die.

This city was visited this afternoon by a terrific storm, which did considerable damage to property. Two negro children in the northeastern section of the city were killed by lightning. Five big oaks were blown down in the campus of St. Mary's school.

The Corporation Commission issues a statement of the condition of the State, private and savings banks at the close of business June 9th, showing five private, 15 savings and 151 State banks to have $30,110,079. All deposits are subject to check. Total resources $39,416,580.

WARM WIRELETS

At Savannah, Ga., yesterday, Willie Calvin, colored, was hanged for killing Rosa Pace, colored, in September, 1902.

Thomas Plant, a negro, was hanged at Mineike, Baldwin county, Ala., yesterday for the murder of a fellow prisoner in a stockade.

That Daniel J. Sully will soon be in business again is the announcement contained in a statement issued yesterday by Mr. Sully's counsel.

Nineteen more survivors of the wrecked Danish steamer Norge, picked up from a boat by a sailing ship, have been landed at Thorshav, Faroe Islands.

"The Swannanoa," private car of George W. Vanderbilt, was damaged by fire yesterday to the extent of $1,800 while standing in the railroad shed near Biltmore, N. C.

Mayor Weaver, of Philadelphia, has refused to permit the Fitzsimmons-O'Brien fight to take place and it is declared off. The mayor said he was convinced it was a prize fight and not a boxing contest.

Will Boone, of Yancey county, N. C., who last Saturday killed Ed. Moseley for one cent in a game of "crackaloo," and who since had been a fugitive from justice, shot himself dead in Buncombe county Thursday night.

The sentence to death of Archie Lipscomb, a negro of Granville county, N. C., was yesterday commuted to imprisonment for life. Lipscomb had killed a negro "conjurer" doctor during an argument about religion.

The injunction proceedings instituted in Texas to stop the government experiments with the Guatemalan boll weevil eating ants have been dissolved, and O. F. Cook, the expert who discovered the ants, will go to Victoria, Texas, to-day to begin installing the colonies.

A London dispatch says Mrs. Florence Maybrick will be released, as an ordinary prisoner on ticket of leave between now and August 1st. The authorities have no intention of granting her a free pardon, but cannot impose any restrictions on Mrs. Maybrick after her arrival in America.

Brief funeral services were held in Washington, D. C., yesterday, over the remains of Brigadier General Thomas B. Howard, of the Confederate army. Mrs. Rankin, a daughter-in-law of the deceased officer, left later with the body for Houston, Texas, where interment will follow a Masonic funeral next Sunday.

Church Notices.

First Presbyterian Church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. John M. Wells, Ph. D., pastor. Divine services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8:00 P. M. by the Rev. Henry Miller, of Virginia. Sunday School at 5 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:15 P. M. The public cordially invited to all services.

First Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor. Preaching to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sunday School at 4:30 P. M. Prayer and Praise worship Wednesday night at 8:15 o'clock Public cordially invited to all services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Divine services at 11:00 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sabbath School at 4:00 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8:15 P. M. The public invited. Seats free.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow, (Sabbath) afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. James Carmichael, D. D. Seamen and rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

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Colored Help Wanted—A colored man who can give good recommendations as to sobriety and general character may secure regular employment by applying at 111 South Fifth street. Call at 8:15 A. M. or 2:00 or 6:30 P. M. jy 9 1t

Stove wood at Wrightsville Beach. Fine wood sawed and split for use in cooking stoves will be delivered at any point along the railroad on Wrightsville Beach at $1.25 per load. Leave or telephone your orders to the Baggage Room. Consolidated Railways, Light and Power Company. jy 9 30t

Notice—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association will be held at the office of the undersigned Tuesday, August 9th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, secretary. jy 7 30t

For Rent—Five rooms, besides kitchen, pantry and bath room, on first floor of one of the most desirable residences in the city. Stable and carriage house. Electric lights; good water and large lot. On street car line. Apply at the STAR Office. je 30 tf

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Handling of packages on the regular passenger cars. Conductors and motormen of regular passenger cars of the C. R., L. and P. Co. are permitted to carry packages of medicine, but are not allowed to accept compensation or responsibility for the service. je 22 30t

Wanted—An experienced clerk in a retail grocery and liquor business. First class references required. Address in own hand-writing, stating age, experience and salary expected. X. Y. Z., care STAR. je 21 tf

Free exhibition of moving pictures at the Casino at 9 o'clock every night except Sundays, Mondays and Thursdays. je 21 tf

Mechanics' Home Association, 28th series Building and Loan stock, now open for subscription. Nathaniel Jacobi, President. W. M. Cumming, Secretary and Treasurer. je 21 tf

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. B. Whitehead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Eat at the Dixie Restaurant and grow fat. 117 Princess street. je 15 tf

Would be glad to accommodate a number of gentlemen with good table board at reasonable rates; also two furnished rooms with board. Apply No. 15 North Fifth street. apr 30 tf

Brown Leghorn Eggs, from high bred stock, for sale at 50 cents per dozen. R. A. Montgomery, Eighth and Princess streets. mar 16 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

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Office of the Treasurer.

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, duly called and held on May 19th, 1904, a dividend of two and one-half per cent. was declared on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on July 9th, 1904, to all stockholders' as of July 1st, 1904. The transfer books will stand closed from July 1st to July 9th, both inclusive. JAMES F. POST, Treasurer.

Wilmington, N. C., June 30th, 1904. jy 1 9t

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A factory shipment of Men's Pants, about 65 dozen, must go.

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Men's full made pants, pretty patterns, good values, worth $2 50; this week $1 98.

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